

OFFICE OF THE STATE STATISTICIAN FOR MYSORE, BANGALORE.

PART IV—WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

Model Form (D1).

Weekly Weather and Crop Report for the week ending Wednesday, the 15th October 1958.

Serial Number	Name of the District	No. of rainy days in the week	Rainfall in Millimetres				Condition of **					Remarks			
			During the week		Since the beginning of the season*		Crop	Livestock	Fodder	Water supply					
			Actual	Normal	Actual	Normal									
(From 1-10-1958.)															
1	Bangalore...	1	9.2	84.9	181.5	78.1	Fair	...	Good	...	Sufficient	...	Sufficient	...	(a)
2	Kolar	...	1	7.8	27.4	169.6	59.6	Fair	...	Good except for the prevalence of "Black Quarter" at one village of Siddaghatta taluk	Do	...	Do	...	(b)
3	Tumkur	...	1	7.8	81.4	98.6	70.8	Fair	...	Good	...	Do	...	Do	...
4	Mysore	...	2	14.7	88.4	101.0	98.6	Fair	...	Fair except in three villages of Kollegal taluk where "Black Quarter" is prevailing.	Do	...	Do	...	(c)
5	Mandya	...	1	15.9	85.6	106.2	86.8	Fair	...	Fair	...	Do	...	Do	...
6	Hassan	...	2	25.8	88.3	145.5	70.7	Fair	...	Good	...	Do	...	Do	...
7	Chikmagalur	1	4.8	40.8	80.5	81.9	Fair	...	Good except in some villages of Sringeri taluk where "H.S. Disease" is prevailing.	Do	...	Do	...	Do	...
8	Shimoga	...	1	6.6	83.5	122.0	79.0	Fair	...	Good	...	Available	...	Sufficient.	...
9	Chitradurga	1	11.8	29.1	78.6	59.0	Fair except in some parts of Chalkere taluk where dry crops have failed due to untimely rains.	...	Good except for the prevalence of "Black Quarter" at one village each of Harihar and Chalkere taluks and other cattle disease at three villages of Holalkere taluk.	Do	...	Do	...	Do	(e)
10	Bellary	...	2	28.1	N.A.	58.0	N.A.	Fair	...	Good	...	Sufficient, except in Bellary taluk where scarcity of fodder is felt.	...	Do	...
11	Bijapur	...	2	57.9	...	89.0	...	Fair except Kharif crops in Sindri taluk are reported to be not fair.	...	Good except for the prevalence of "Black Quarter" and "H.S. disease" in parts of Indi taluk and "Black Quarter" at one village of Bijapur taluk.	Sufficient	...	Adequate	...	(f)
12	Belgaum	...	2	24.6	...	44.9	...	Fair except in parts of Raibag petha where crops are reported to be withering for want of rain.	...	Good except for the prevalence of cattle disease at one village each of Athani and Ramdurg taluks.	Do	...	Sufficient except at one village of Parasgad taluk.	...	(g)
13	Dharwar	...	2	25.6	...	84.2	...	Fair	...	Good except for the prevalence of "Galale Bene" at one village of Shiggaon taluk and "Black Quarter" at some parts of Haveri taluk.	Do	...	Adequate	...	(h)
14	North Kanara.	...	3	31.4	...	59.4	...	Do	...	Good	...	Adequate	...	Sufficient	...
15	Gulbarga	...	1	27.6	...	86.8	...	Do	...	Fair except for the prevalence of cattle disease at one village of Shahpur and some villages of Chitapur taluks.	Do	...	Do
16	Raichur	...	1	6.0	...	29.9	...	Do	...	Good	...	Do	...	Do	...
17	Bidar	...	2	57.1	...	87.1	...	Fair except in Bidar taluk where crops are reported to be poor.	...	Do	...	Sufficient	...	Do	...
18	South Kanara.	...	3	32.9	...	118.5	...	Fair	...	Do	...	Do	...	Do	...
19	Coorg	...	5	442.4	407.7	1086.0	978.7	Fair except in Mercara taluk where Cardamom and Coffee crops have been affected by "dropping disease" due to heavy rains. Paddy crop is affected by insects in some hilly villages.	...	Do	...	Do	...	Do	...

*The date of the beginning of the season may be indicated.

**EXPLANATIONS.—

Remarks—(a) Refers to whole District except Bangalore South Taluk. (b) Refers to whole District except Gauribidnur Taluk. (c) Refers to whole District except Hunsur Taluk. (d) Refers to whole District except Mandya Taluk. (e) Refers to whole District except Thirthahalli Taluk. (f) Refers to whole District except Badami Taluk. (g) Refers to whole District except Gokak Taluk. (h) Refers to whole District except Hangol and Dharwar Taluks. (i) Refers to whole District except Haliyal Taluk. (j) Refers to whole District except Lingasgur Taluk. (k) Refers to Bhalki and Bidar Taluks. (l) Refers to whole District except Mangalore Taluk.

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General weekly summary for the week ending Wednesday the 15th October 1958.

Rainfall	Sowing/Trans- plantation	Condition of Standing crops	Harvest	General pro- gress of Agri- cultural operations	Water Supply	Fodder and pasture	Condition of cattle
1. Bangalore District.							
Sufficient in Channarayana, Bangalore North, Ramana- nagar, Kanakapura and Anekal taluks.	Sowing of Horsegram is going on in Anekal taluk.	The standing crops are in fair condition.	Picking of groundnut is going on in Anekal and Nelamangala taluks.	Weeding and other Agricultural opera- tions are in pro- gress in 6 taluks.	Sufficient	Sufficient	Generally healthy
2. Kolar District.							
Sufficient in Bangarapet, Malur, Srinivasa- pur, Chickballapur taluks, but insufficient in Kolar and Mulbagal taluks.	Nil	Do	Onions, Chillies, Garlics in Sidlaghatta taluk, groundnut in Bangar- pet taluk, Onions and potatoes in Chickballa- pur taluk are being harvested.	Agricultural opera- tions are in pro- gress in 6 taluks	Do	Do	Generally healthy, except for the prevalence of "Black- quarter" at Eraguppalahalli of Sidlaghatta taluk. The Veterinary Department has been addressed to check the spread of disease.
3. Tumkur District.							
Sufficient in Koratagere, Sira, Pavagada, Madhu- giri, Tiptur, Tumkur taluks and beneficial to the crops in Kunigal taluk.	Transplantation of paddy is under progress in Sira and Pavagada taluks.	Generally fair, but paddy is attacked by "Kokke Roga" in a village of Tiptur taluk.	Do	Do	Do	Available	Generally good
4. Mysore District.							
Sufficient and beneficial to the crops, but insufficient in Chamara-janagara taluk.	Nil	The standing crops are fair	Harvesting of ground- nut and green gram in T. Narasipura taluk is going on.	Progressing in 6 taluks.	Do	Do	Generally healthy, except for the prevalence of "Black- quarter" at 3 villages of Kolla- gal taluk.
5. Mandya District.							
Sufficient	Paddy is being transplanted in some places of Maddur and Malavalli taluks.	Do	Sugarcane in Maddur, Mandya and Pandaya- pura taluks.	Weeding is in progress in Nagamangala taluk.	Do	Sufficient	Generally healthy
6. Hassan District.							
Sufficient in Arsikere, Hassan, Arkalgud, Belur, Alur and Manjarabad taluks.	Nil	Do	Sugarcane in Channa- rayanapura and Hassan taluks.	Progressing in 4 taluks.	Available	Available	Do
7. Chickmagalur District.							
Sufficient in Sringeri, Mud- gere, Koppa and Chik- magalur taluks.	Sowing of Bengalgram and Hingari jola is going on in Kadur taluk.	Do	Picking of 1 Areca in Sringeri taluk is going on and harvesting of sugarcane, groundnut in Chickmagalur taluk is nearing completion.	Do	Sufficient	Do	Generally healthy, but H.S. disease is prevailing in some parts of Sringeri taluk. Preventive measures have been taken to check the spread of disease.

8. Shimoga District.									
Sufficient	Nil	The standing crops are fair	Harvesting of Kesar jola and groundnut is under progress in Channagiri taluk.	Agricultural operations are in progress.	Sufficient	Available	Generally healthy.		
9. Chitradurga District.									
Sufficient but insufficient in Hosadurga, Holakere and Challakere taluks.	Sowing of Bilijola in Hosadurga, Holakere, Hiriur, Jagalur, Chitradurga taluks and of paddy in Chalkakere taluk is going on.	The standing crops are in fair condition, except in Chalkakere taluk, where the dry crops have failed due to untimely rains.	Jola, sugarcane, ragi, til, groundnut, sesamum and samai.	Do	Do	Do	Generally healthy, but cattle disease at 2 village of Holakere taluk and "Black quarter" at one village each of Chalkakere and Haribar taluks are prevailing.		
10. Bellary District.									
Sufficient, but insufficient in Siruguppa taluk. No rainfall in Harapanahalli and Hadagalli taluks.	Sowing of Hingari crops is in progress in Hospet, Hadagalli, Harapanahalli and Bellary taluks.	The crops are generally fair	Picking of groundnut is in full swing in Sandur, Kudligi, Harapanahalli, Bellary and Hospet taluks.	Do	Do	Sufficient, but scarcity for fodder is felt in Bellary taluk.	Generally healthy.		
11. Bijapur District.									
Sufficient in Bijapur, Billgi, Mudhol, Jamkhandi taluks and beneficial to the crops in Sindgi, Indri, Bagawadi, taluks, but insufficient in Hungund and Muddebihal taluks.	Sowing of Rabi jowar in Mudhol, Muddebihal, Bagalkot, Hungund and Jamkhandi taluks and of wheat in Indri, Bagalkot, Bijapur, Sindgi and Hungund taluks is going on.	Do	Picking of groundnut in Bagalkot taluk is in progress.	Progressing in 6 taluks.	Adequate	Sufficient	Generally healthy, except in Indri taluk, where "Black quarter" and H S diseases are prevailing. "Black quarter" is reported in Madabavi of Bijapur taluk.		
12. Belgaum District.									
Sufficient in most of the taluks, but insufficient and not well distributed in Chikodi and Athani taluks.	Showing of Rabi jowar in Ramdurg taluk and of cotton in Paragad taluk is in progress.	The crops are fair, except in Raibag Mahal, where crops are withering for want of rains.	Harvesting of paddy is commenced in Ahanapur, Chikodi and Belgaum taluks.	Weeding operations are in progress in Athani and Raibag taluks.	Adequate, except at Haralkatti of Paragad taluk.	Sufficient	Generally healthy, except for the prevalence of cattle disease at one village each of Athani and Ramdurg taluks.		
13. Dharwar District.									
Sufficient and beneficial to the crops, except in Gadag taluk, where the rainfall is insufficient.	Sowing of Rabi jowar in Byadagi taluk, Rabi jowar and gram in Ranibennur taluk and wheat and gram in Kunigol taluk is in progress.	The crops are in fair, but cotton crop is much affected by "Red disease" in some villages of Ranibennur taluk.	Harvesting of groundnut is in progress in most of the taluks.	Inter-culturing operations are in progress.	Adequate	Adequate	Generally healthy, except for the prevalence of "Galala Roga" at one village of Shigaon taluk and "Black Quarter" at one village of Haveri taluk.		
14. North Kanara District.									
Sufficient and beneficial to the crops, except in Karwar taluk, where the rainfall is harmful to the crops.	Nil	The crops are fair	Area and paddy in Karwar taluk.	Harvesting is held up in Ankola taluk on account of rains.	Do	Sufficient	Generally health.		
15. Gulbarga District.									
Sufficient and beneficial to the crops in Shahpur, Aland, Sedam, Gulbarga and Jewargi taluks, but harmful to the crops in Chincholi and Afzalpur taluks.	Sowing of Rabi crops is in progress in some taluks.	Do	Picking of groundnut in Shahpur, Yadgir taluks and harvesting of Kangan in Jewargi taluk, warli, Mung Udad and Chillies in Gulbarga taluk are going on.	Sowing is held up due to heavy rains in Chincholi taluk.	Sufficient	Do	Generally healthy, but cattle disease is prevailing in some villages of Chitapur taluk and in one village of Shahpur taluk.		

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16. Raichur District.							
Sufficient and well distributed in Raichur taluk and beneficial to crops in Yelburga taluk, but sufficient in Sindhnur taluk.	Sowing of Rabi jowar in Manvi, Deodurg taluk; and of wheat in Yelburga taluk is in progress.	The standing crops are in fair condition, but the condition is not satisfactory in Sindhnur taluk.	Harvesting of Kanganal is in progress in Gangavathi taluk.	Agricultural operations are in progress in 5 taluks.	Sufficient	Available ...	No report of cattle disease.
17. Bidar District.							
Sufficient in Balki taluk, but harmful to the crops in Bidar taluk.	Sowing of Rabi crops has been started in some parts of Balki and Bidar taluks.	The crops are fair in Balki, but the crops are much affected due to heavy rains in Bidar taluk.			Do	Sufficient ...	Generally good.
18. South Kanara District.							
Sufficient, but harmful to the standing crops in Belthangady taluk.	Sowing and transplantation of II paddy is in progress.	The crops are fair.	Harvesting of I paddy is in progress.	Agricultural operations are in progress.	Do	Adequate ...	Do
19. Coorg District.							
Sufficient	Completed.	The crops are fair, except in Mercara Nad, where cardamom and coffee crops have been affected by "drooping disease" due to heavy rains. Paddy crop is affected by insects in some hilly villages in Mercara Nad.	Picking of Cardamom is in progress.	The progress is satisfactory.	Do	Do ...	Generally healthy.

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